

PATENT

In Reply Application of:

RICHARD E. WAITKUS, JR.

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Title: "WEIGHING BALED MATERIAL"

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Examiner: RANDY W. GIBSON

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED SEPTEMBER 29, 2005

Dear Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed September 29, 2005, Applicant respectfully submits the following remarks and amendments set forth below and request favorable action thereon.

As the three-month shortened statutory period for reply is due December 29, 2005, this Response is considered timely filed.